

Genealogy File

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1. Samuel Starks, b. 1-16-1759 in Colchester, Hartford Co., Conn.; was living in Bradford Co., Pa., in 1832, when he applied for pension; enlisted 1776, in Conn. Militia, Revolutionary Army; discharged 1780; married 1783 to (?)
2. William Starks, b. 1785; d. 3-18-1830; buried at Ocean Springs; in War of 1812, Battle of New Orleans; m. 12-4-1817, Nancy Ann Davis, b. 10-8-1799 in Ga.; dau. of Samuel Davis of N. C. and Sally Balshar. See Davis line for her ancestry.
3. Stephen Starks, b. 1818; d. 1868; m. 1856, Ellen Ewarts; Stephen in Civil War. Co. E, 3rd Mississippi, enrolled at Enterprise
4. John Joseph Starks, b. 11-7-1856; d. 12-20-1920; m. 1-1-1889, Mary Burke from County Galway, Ireland; b. 2-25-1860; d. 12-18-1939
5. Helen Delia Starks, b. 10-22-1889; m. 6-6-1916, Dan Burke
5. Honoria Starks, b. 10-15-1890; m. 7-27-1921, Thomas Gaughan
5. Margaret Alice Starks, b. 11-28-1891; m. 4-22-1925, Fred Hoy, d. 6-11-1961
5. Thomas Stephen Starks, b. 11-13-1892; d. 7-19-1916
5. Mary Rose Starks, b. 3-16-1894; d. 7-21-1913, student nurse in New Orleans
5. Arthur Gregory Starks, b. 4-29-1895; d. 3-15-1961; m. 6-10-1920, Aline Lohmiller
5. Joseph Bernard Starks, b. 1-28-1897
5. John Starks, b. 3-12-1898; d. 6-12-1899
5. Aloysius Andrew Starks, b. 12-2-1899; m. 2-19-1943, Adele Anderfuren
5. Albert James Starks, b. 6-27-1901; m. 8-6-1940, Mary Thompson
5. Francis Xavier Starks, b. 12-23-1902; m. 7-28-1924, Mathilda Walsh
6. Mathilda Starks, b. 11-17-1926; m. George A. Jensen (Five children)
5. Hillary Maurice Starks, b. 1-14-1906
4. Samuel Patrick Starks, b. 3-18-1859; d. 3-16-1919; m. Isabel Latimer of Handsboro
5. Eleven children, all born in Ocean Springs
4. Margaret Ellen Starks, died at age of 13 of yellow fever

Biographical Sketch

William Starks born 1785 was a member of the lower house of the Mississippi Legislature in 1828 and a judge of the county courts before that time.

Data furnished by Francis Xavier Starks, Miami, Fla.; and from county records.

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Dear Friends,

Please send me info on submissions
to the book on Jackson County history.

My great-great grandfather, William
Starks, came here in 1812 with Andrew
Jackson and married Nancy Ann Davis
(Davis Bayou, Starks Bayou, Magnolia Park,
Edgewater Estates all figure in their
history).

William served in the Miss Legislature
and oral history tells that he died as
the result of wounds suffered in a
duel over the dividing line between
Harrison & Jackson County. William won
the year over the dividing line - much
to Biloxi's chagrin ever since - but lost
the battle for his life.

William's son, Stephen, married
an Irish Catholic girl, Ellen Elwert -
which caused a family split from
the Bradford/Davis clan - with Stephen
and Ellen being the first Starks buried
in Bellande Cemetery instead of the
family plot in what ~~is now~~ was the
Davis property.

There are other tales worth telling.
I've worked as a professional writer
and editor so I believe I can make

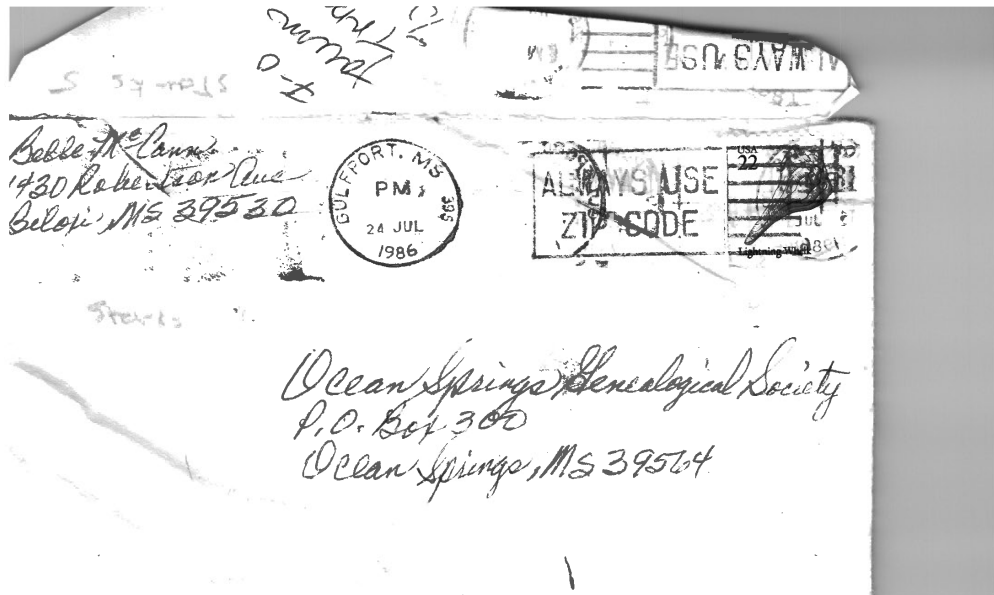
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a solid contribution to the book.

Please reserve space for the Starks
Clan in the book and send me
submission requirements. Unfortunately,
my work/night school schedule does
not allow me to attend your workshops.
However, I'll have time in mid-August
to prepare the manuscript.

Bella Starks Mc Cann

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